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## 04/23/2013 Minutes

VISION 2020 ENVIRONMENT TASK GROUP April 23, 2013 MEETING (Approved 6/24/13) RESERVOIR COMMITTEE Town Hall Annex, First Floor

In attendance: Lisa Fredman, Cathy Garnett, Jane Howard, Elizabeth Karpati, Ann LeRoyer, David White. Facilitator: David White. Minutes: Elizabeth Karpati

2013 meetings: 7:30 p.m. (fourth) Tuesdays, May 28, June 25, July 23, August 27, September 24, October 22, November 26. Town Hall Annex, First Floor Conference Room.

Minutes: The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted with corrections for the dates for the September and November 2013 meetings.

Workdays: The first one was held last Saturday and included clean-up and weeding. Two people who had signed up at the EcoFest participated. Since Saturdays are a problem for some people and Sundays for others, we decided to alternate: the next two workdays will be Sat. May 18 and Sun. June 16. See below for the overall schedule.

To-do list: We also decided that we should make such a list before each workday so that anyone who wants to help but cannot make it on that day can do some of the work on his/her own. Removal of Japanese knotweed from the "island" near the parking lot should be included on the next list.

Expenditures: We approved:

- a) Up to \$200 for new plants for the shady side, which looks a little thin.
- b) Up to \$100 for fencing materials.
- c) Up to \$100 for materials to repair the kiosk.

Woodchipping on the path around the Res: We need to enlist the help of the high school and ask DPW for chips. Path edgings in the garden: We used the stones we found, many hardly larger than pebbles. Martine will ask if DPW can supply any that are a little larger. Lisa can contribute about 8 or 10.

Reservoir Workday Schedule for 2013

Third weekend of the month, alternating Saturday and Sunday, from 9 am to 12 noon.

The rain date is the same day the next weekend.

Month Date Rain Date

May Saturday, May 18 Saturday May 25 June Saturday, June 15 Saturday, June 22

July Saturday, July 20 Saturday, July 27

August Sunday, August 18 Sunday, August 25

September \* Saturday, September 14 Sunday, September 22

October Sunday, October 20 Sunday, October 27

\* The third Saturday in September the 21st is Arlington Town Day.